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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re PATENT APPLICATION OF
Tisdale et al.

Confirmation No. 9962

Group Art Unit: 1653

Application Serial No. 09/701,463

Examiner: Sheridan Snedden

Filed: May 2, 2001

Title: GLYCOPROTEINS HAVING LIPID MOBILISING PROPERTIES AND THERAPEUTIC
APPLICATIONS THEREOF

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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Hon. Commissioner of Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

In response to the Official Action [Restriction Requirement] dated September 30, 2002, Applicants elect without traverse Group I, Claims 31 to 49 drawn to a lipid mobilising agent, a method of making and a method of using, for further examination.

In view of the foregoing, the claims are now believed to be in form for allowance, and such action is hereby solicited. If any points remain in issue which the Examiner feels may be best resolved through a personal or telephone interview, he is kindly requested to contact the undersigned at the telephone number listed below.

All objections and rejections having been addressed, it is respectfully submitted that the present application is in a condition for allowance and a Notice to that effect is earnestly solicited.

Respectfully submitted,

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